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Please see attached **Response to Restriction Requirement.**

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hshieh et al.  
Serial No.: 09/881,254  
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Art Unit: 2826  
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Docket No.: GS 134

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 9, 2002 (Paper No. 3), kindly consider the following response to the outstanding restriction requirement.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-24 are pending in the application. Restriction was required to the following allegedly distinct inventions:

- I. Claims 1-16, drawn to a field effect transistor, classified in class 257, subclass 213.
- II. Claims 17-24, drawn to a method of making a field effect device, classified in class 438, subclass 192.